

## Listing of the Claims

1. (currently amended) A convertible vehicle (1) with a moving roof (3) having a flexible cover (5), in which the cover (5) is engaged underneath by at least one strap (9), following essentially the course of the roof when the roof (3) is closed, which is secured on ~~rod~~ parts support structure (7; 8) arranged across the roof (3),

**characterized in that** ~~the at least one an~~ an end (9a) of ~~the at least one~~ the at least one strap (9) passes through a slit recess (10) of ~~the roof rod~~ said support structure (7; 8) and is secured against pulling out from ~~it~~ the slit recess by an end thickening (11) on the at least one strap (9).

2. (original) A convertible vehicle (1) according to Claim 1,  
**characterized in that** the end thickening (11) is formed by a loop of the strap (9) stitched around and enclosing a piping.

3. (currently amended) A convertible vehicle (1) according to ~~one of the Claims 1 or 2~~ Claim 1,

**characterized in that** ~~at least one~~ said slit recess (10) is arranged in a front transverse support of said roof support structure ~~(3)~~, a so-called roof strut (7).

4. (currently amended) A convertible vehicle (1) according to ~~one of the Claims 1 to 3~~ Claim 1,

**characterized in that** that the slit recess (10) has a widening (13) on one end that is ~~passed through~~ receives the end thickening (11) for installation.

5. (original) A convertible vehicle (1) according to Claim 4,  
**characterized in that** the widening (13) has an essentially round shape with a diameter only slightly greater than that of the end thickening (11).

6. (currently amended) A convertible vehicle (1) according to ~~one of the Claims 1 to 5~~ Claim 1,

**characterized in that** a strap (9) is assigned to each side of the vehicle.

7. (currently amended) A convertible vehicle (1) according to ~~one of the Claims 1 to 6~~Claim 1,  
**characterized in that the said at least one strap ~~or each strap~~** (9) is free of holes.

8. (currently amended) A convertible vehicle (1) according to one of the ~~Claims 1 to 7~~Claim 1,  
**characterized in that** the front and rear strap ends (9a) are fastened the same way to different ~~rod parts~~ support structure (7, 8) of roof (3).

9. (currently amended) A moving roof (3) for a convertible vehicle (1) according to ~~one of the Claims 1 to 8~~Claim 1.